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SUBJECT: TRADE OPPORTUNITY: NATO TENDER INTENTION TO CALL FOR
BIDS FOR AIRCRAFT SHELTERS

1. THE BELGIAN ARMY (SERVICE GENERAL DES CONSTRUCTIONS),
QUARTIER MAJOR GERUZET, BLVD. GENERAL JACQUES 294, 1040
BRUSSELS, HAS ANNOUNCED ITS INTENTION TO ISSUE AN INTER-
NATIONAL TENDER FOR NATO INFRASTRUCTURE CONSTRUCTION.
FIRMS INTERESTED IN THIS WORK SHOULD INDICATE THEIR INTEREST
PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1976, TO THE ADDRESS MENTIONED ABOVE.

2. THE WORK, KNOWN UNDER REFERENCE NO. 25,004(II), IS
SITUATED IN THE BRABANT PROVINCE OF BELGIUM AND INVOLVES
ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL WORK IN PREPARING SHELTERS FOR
AIRCRAFT. THIS WORK INCLUDES EQUIPPING VARIOUS BUILDINGS
WITH ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL DEVICES; THE LAYING OF
SUBTERRANEAN CABLE OF HIGH TENSION, SUBTERRANEAN CABLES
OF LOW TENSION FROM 50 HZ TO 400 HZ; INSTALLATION OF LOW-
TENSION COMMAND PANELS FROM 50 HZ TO 400 HZ; AND THE
INSTALLATION OF ROTATING CONVERTORS OF 400 HZ. SOME BUILDING
CONSTRUCTION IS ALSO INVOLVED. THE ESTIMATED COST OF THIS
PROJECT WOULD BE 50 MILLION BELGIAN FRANCS, OR APPROXIMATELY
\$1.25 MILLION. BELGIAN GOVERNMENT WILL FORWARD THE DETAILS
OF TENDER DOCUMENTS TO FIRMS WHICH HAVE INDICATED AN INTEREST
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BY OCTOBER 15, AND OFFERS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW

BY NOVEMBER 30, 1976.

3. FIRMS HOLDING A NATO SECURITY CLASSIFICATION OF
CONFIDENTIAL AND HIGHER NEED NOT FURNISH OTHER PROOF OF
ELIGIBILITY. FIRMS NOT HOLDING AN ELIGIBILITY CLASSIFICATION
WILL NEED TO HAVE A DECLARATION SUPPLIED BY RECOGNIZED
AUTHORITIES ALLOWING THEM TO MAKE OFFERS UNDER THIS TENDER.

4. TWO COPIES OF THIS ANNOUNCEMENT ARE BEING POUCHED TO
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